**WESTWARD!**

The Short Documentary Project

Your group will be assigned a certain type of person who moved west during the early to mid 1800s. Using Chapter 16 plus any other resources, you are going to create a short documentary (no more than 5 minutes) about your groups move to the west. You will need: a narrator, a script, actors, and props (not required).

Within the documentary, make sure you address the following:

1. Introductory statement that sets the location and time
2. Reasons your group moved West (was it a push factor, pull factor, or both?)
3. What did you experience on your trip West…how did you travel…be very descriptive.
4. Where did you settle? Again, be descriptive. What types of legacies did you leave behind?

Everyone in the group needs to contribute equally, and must be involved in the making of the documentary. The filming of the documentaries will take place Thursday in class. This will be an individual quiz/project grade for each student.